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REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass:
SB 1194

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 886

The bill was referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: SB 914

The bill was referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 734

The bill was referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: CS for SB 744

The bill was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 952

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 374

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 1364

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends the following pass: SB 640

The bill was referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 598

The bill was referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 1262

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 718

The Committee on Education recommends the following pass: SB 864

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 1046

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 870

The Committee on Transportation recommends the following pass: SB 652; SB 1178

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SB 338

The bill was referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: CS for SB 326

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends the following pass: SB 856; SM 1058

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends the following pass: CS for SB 390; SB 520

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SJR 1188 with 1 amendment

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends the following pass: SB 796

The bills contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends the following pass: SB 732; SB 1648

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends the following pass: SM 576

The Committee on Judiciary recommends the following pass: SB 160

The Committee on Rules recommends the following pass: CS for SB 220; CS for SB 256; SB 506; CS for SB 616

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1044

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Agriculture under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1018

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1068

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 530; SB 950

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on Education under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 504

The Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1076

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 534; SB 624

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1210

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 694

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1122

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 662

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 876

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 826; SB 998

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance under the original reference.

The Committee on Health Policy recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 488; SB 722

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1024

The bill with committee substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism under the original reference.

The Committee on Education recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 900

The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 956

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 990

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 828

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1450

The Committee on Transportation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 974

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Community Affairs under the original reference.

The Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1594

The Committee on Health Policy recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 746; SB 1030

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 912

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Criminal Justice under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 1278; SB 1300

The Committee on Education recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1396

The Committee on Regulated Industries recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 808

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Govern-

mental Oversight and Accountability under the original reference.

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 310; SB 1308

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 198; SB 834

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Judiciary under the original reference.

The Committee on Commerce and Tourism recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 172

The Committee on Health Policy recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 278

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Regulated Industries under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends committee substitutes for the following: SB 318; SB 546; SB 650

The bills with committee substitute attached were referred to the Committee on Rules under the original reference.

The Committee on Community Affairs recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 1070

The Committee on Judiciary recommends a committee substitute for the following: SB 788

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Transportation under the original reference.

The Committee on Appropriations recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 102; SB 156; CS for SB 230; SB 384; CS for CS for SB 846; SB 928

The Committee on Banking and Insurance recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for CS for SB 542

The Committee on Judiciary recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 188; CS for SB 440; CS for SB 570

The Committee on Rules recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 448

The bills with committee substitute attached were placed on the Calendar.

REPORTS OF SUBCOMMITTEES

Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends the following pass: CS for SB 1012

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

Appropriations Subcommittee on Education recommends committee substitutes for the following: CS for SB 790; SB 1148; SB 1642

Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 416

Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development recommends a committee substitute for the following: CS for SB 518

The bills with committee substitute attached contained in the foregoing reports were referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES RELATING TO EXECUTIVE BUSINESS

Appropriations Subcommittee on Criminal and Civil Justice recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment

*For Term
Ending*

Secretary of Corrections

Appointee: Crews, Michael D.

Pleasure of
Governor

Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment

*For Term
Ending*

Executive Director, Department of Economic Opportunity

Appointee: Panuccio, Jesse

Pleasure of
Governor

The Committee on Education recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Governor:

Office and Appointment

*For Term
Ending*

Board of Trustees, Florida Atlantic University

Appointee: Cane, Daniel

01/06/2018

Board of Trustees, University of Central Florida

Appointee: Brown, Clarence H. III

01/06/2018

Board of Trustees, Florida State University

Appointees: Ballard, Kathryn S.
Duda, Emily F.

01/06/2018
01/06/2016

Board of Trustees, Florida Gulf Coast University

Appointee: Spilker, Christian M.

01/06/2015

Board of Trustees, University of Florida

Appointees: Heavener, James W.
Rosenberg, Jason J.
Scott, Steven M.

01/06/2016
01/06/2016
01/06/2018

Board of Trustees, University of West Florida

Appointee: May, LuTimothy

01/06/2018

The Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability recommends that the Senate confirm the following appointments made by the Board of Administration:

<i>Office and Appointment</i>	<i>For Term Ending</i>
Investment Advisory Council	
Appointee: Elia, MaryEllen	12/12/2016

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections under the original reference.

INTRODUCTION AND REFERENCE OF BILLS

FIRST READING

By Senator Legg—

SB 54—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Ronald Miller by the City of Hollywood; providing for an appropriation to compensate him for injuries sustained as a result of the negligence of an employee of the City of Hollywood; providing a limitation on the payment of fees and costs; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication of the required notice was attached.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; Community Affairs; and Rules.

Senate Bills 56-1654—Previously introduced.

Senate Resolutions 1656-1658—Not introduced.

By the Committee on Ethics and Elections—

SB 1660—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; creating s. 97.0525, F.S.; requiring the Department of State to develop an online voter registration system; specifying application requirements for the system; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to verify information submitted online; requiring the supervisor of elections to notify applicants under certain circumstances; requiring system compliance with federal accessibility provisions; prohibiting online registrants from initially voting by absentee ballot; providing exceptions; amending s. 101.20, F.S.; authorizing the supervisor of elections to choose the method of providing sample ballots to electors; amending s. 101.6103, F.S.; extending the time for canvassing and processing absentee ballots for a mail ballot election to 15 days before the election; amending s. 101.62, F.S.; providing that an absentee ballot request from a first-time online registrant is not valid unless certain conditions are met; amending s. 101.68, F.S.; revising instructions on the absentee ballot affidavit relating to the submission deadline for affidavits; amending s. 101.69, F.S.; designating locations where the supervisor may accept or receive an elector's voted absentee ballot; creating s. 101.6931, F.S.; establishing requirements for the absentee ballot provided to certain first-time online registrant voters; specifying content of the voter's certificate for an absentee ballot provided to first-time online registrant voters; creating s. 101.6932, F.S.; specifying instructions required to be included with an absentee ballot sent to first-time online registrant absent electors; creating s. 101.6933, F.S.; establishing procedures for the canvassing of absentee ballots received from first-time online registrant voters; amending s. 105.071, F.S.; revising penalties relating to limitations on political activity by a candidate for judicial office; amending s. 106.07, F.S.; clarifying the reporting schedules of campaign finance reports filed by certain candidates and political committees; revising the schedule for assessment of fines for late-filed reports; amending s. 106.0703, F.S.; clarifying the reporting schedules of reports filed by certain electioneering communications organizations; revising the schedule for assessment of fines for late-filed reports; amending s. 106.25, F.S.; revising provisions relating to service of process of a respondent by the Florida Elections Commission; providing that a respondent may consent to receive documents from the commission

electronically; clarifying and revising provisions relating to the commission's authority over certain violations by candidates for judicial office; amending s. 106.265, F.S.; specifying that an unpaid fine becomes a judgment 60 days after such fine is imposed; requiring the commission to attempt to determine whether an individual owing fines is a current public officer or public employee; authorizing the commission to notify the Chief Financial Officer or the governing body of a county, municipality, or special district of the total amount of any fine owed to the commission by such individuals; requiring that the Chief Financial Officer or the governing body begin withholding portions of any salary-related payment that would otherwise be paid to the current public officer or public employee; requiring that the withheld payments be remitted to the commission until the fine is satisfied or a specified amount is reached; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer or the governing body to retain a portion of payment for administrative costs; authorizing garnishment and collection methods for individuals who are no longer public officers or public employees; authorizing the commission to collect an unpaid fine within a specified period after issuance of the final order; clarifying and revising provisions relating to the commission's authority over certain violations by candidates for judicial office; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Appropriations; and Rules.

By the Committee on Ethics and Elections—

SB 1662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; amending s. 106.25, F.S.; creating an exemption from public records requirements for a sworn complaint and records relating to an investigation, investigative report, or other paper of the Florida Elections Commission with respect to violations of limitations on political activity by candidates for judicial office; creating an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of proceedings of the Florida Elections Commission in which violations of limitations on political activity by candidates for judicial office are discussed or acted upon following a complaint or relating to an investigation; providing for future repeal and legislative review of the exemptions under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing statements of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Ethics and Elections; Appropriations; and Rules.

By the Committee on Judiciary—

SB 1664—A bill to be entitled An act relating to arbitration; amending s. 682.014, F.S.; correcting the description of a cross-reference; providing for retroactive application; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Rules.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Sobel—

SB 1666—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child abuse and child welfare services; amending s. 20.19, F.S.; requiring the secretary of the Department of Children and Families to appoint an Assistant Secretary for Child Welfare; providing requirements for such position; amending s. 402.40, F.S.; providing requirements for persons providing child welfare services; creating s. 402.402, F.S.; providing education requirements for child protective investigators and child protective investigation supervisors; providing for implementation of such requirements; providing for exemptions; requiring a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; creating s. 402.403, F.S.; establishing a tuition exemption program for child protective investigators and supervisors; providing eligibility requirements; creating s. 402.404, F.S.; establishing a student loan forgiveness program for child protective investigators and supervisors; providing eligibility requirements; providing requirements for the program; creating s. 827.10, F.S.; defining terms; establishing the criminal offense of unlawful abandonment of a child; providing criminal penalties; providing exceptions; creating s. 1004.615, F.S.; establishing the Florida Institute for Child Welfare; providing the purpose of the institute; requiring the department to contract with the institute for the performance of specified duties; requiring the institute to contract and

work with specified entities; providing duties and responsibilities of the institute; providing for the administration of the institute; requiring a report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date; amending s. 1009.25, F.S.; exempting tuition and fees for specified child protective investigators and child protective investigation supervisors; repealing s. 402.401, F.S., relating to the Florida Child Welfare Student Loan Forgiveness Program; repealing s. 1004.61, F.S., relating to partnerships to develop child protective investigation workers; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senators Detert and Lee—

SB 1668—A bill to be entitled An act relating to child welfare; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; defining the term “sibling”; creating s. 39.2015, F.S.; requiring the Department of Children and Families to conduct specified investigations using critical incident rapid response teams; providing requirements for such investigations; providing requirements for the team; authorizing the team to access specified information; requiring the cooperation of specified agencies and organizations; providing for reimbursement of team members; requiring a report of the investigation; requiring the Secretary of Children and Families to develop specified guidelines for investigations and provide training to team members; requiring the secretary to appoint an advisory committee; requiring a report from the advisory committee to the secretary; requiring the secretary to submit such report to the Governor and the Legislature; amending s. 39.202, F.S.; authorizing access to specified records in the event of the death of a child which was reported to the department’s child abuse hotline; creating s. 39.2022, F.S.; providing legislative intent; requiring the department to publish specified information on its website if the death of a child is reported to the child abuse hotline; prohibiting specified information from being released; providing requirements for the release of information in the child’s records; prohibiting release of information that identifies the person who reports an incident to the child abuse hotline; amending s. 39.402, F.S.; requiring the department to make a reasonable effort to keep siblings together when they are placed in out-of-home care under certain circumstances; providing for sibling visitation under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.5085, F.S.; revising legislative intent; authorizing placement of a child with a nonrelative caregiver and financial assistance for such nonrelative caregiver through the Relative Caregiver Program under certain circumstances; amending s. 39.701, F.S.; requiring the court to consider contact among siblings in judicial reviews; authorizing the court to remove specified disabilities of nonage at judicial reviews; amending s. 39.802, F.S.; requiring a petition for the termination of parental rights to be signed under oath stating the petitioner’s good faith in filing the petition; amending s. 383.402, F.S.; requiring the review of all deaths of children which occur in the state and are reported to the department’s child abuse hotline; revising the due date for a report; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; creating part V of ch. 409, F.S.; creating s. 409.986, F.S.; providing legislative findings and intent; providing child protection and child welfare outcome goals; defining terms; creating s. 409.987, F.S.; providing for the procurement of community-based care lead agencies; providing requirements for contracting as a lead agency; creating s. 409.988, F.S.; providing the duties of a community-based care lead agency; providing licensure requirements for a lead agency; creating s. 409.990, F.S.; providing general funding provisions; providing for a matching grant program and the maximum amount of funds that may be awarded; requiring the department to develop and implement a community-based care risk pool initiative; providing requirements for the risk pool; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 409.16713, F.S.; transferring provisions relating to the allocation of funds for community-based care agencies; conforming a cross-reference; creating s. 409.992, F.S.; providing requirements for community-based care lead agency expenditures; creating s. 409.993, F.S.; providing findings; providing for lead agency and subcontractor liability; providing limitations on damages; transferring, renumbering, and amending s. 409.1675, F.S.; transferring provisions relating to receivership from community-based providers to lead agencies; conforming cross-references and terminology; creating s. 409.996, F.S.; providing duties of the department relating to community-based care and lead agencies; creating s. 409.997, F.S.; providing goals for the department and specified entities; requiring the

department to maintain a comprehensive, results-oriented accountability system; providing requirements; requiring the department to establish a technical advisory panel; providing requirements for the panel; requiring the department to make the results of the system public; requiring a report to the Governor and the Legislature; creating s. 409.998, F.S.; requiring the department to establish community-based care alliances; specifying responsibilities of the alliance; providing for membership of the alliance; providing for compensation of and requirements for alliance members; authorizing the alliance to create a direct-support organization; providing requirements for such organization; providing for future repeal of the authority of the alliance to create a direct support organization; repealing s. 20.19(4), F.S., relating to community alliances; repealing ss. 409.1671, 409.16715, and 409.16745, F.S., relating to foster care and related services, therapy treatments, and the community partnership matching grant program, respectively; amending ss. 39.201, 409.1676, 409.1677, 409.906, 409.912, 409.91211, and 420.628, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

By the Committee on Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; and Senator Grimsley—

SB 1670—A bill to be entitled An act relating to medically complex children; amending s. 39.001, F.S.; revising the purposes of ch. 39, F.S.; providing for the provision of services for medically complex children; conforming cross-references; amending s. 39.01, F.S.; defining the term “medical neglect”; conforming cross-references; amending s. 39.303, F.S.; revising legislative intent; providing requirements for a child protection team that evaluates a report of medical neglect and assesses the health care needs of a medically complex child; creating s. 39.3068, F.S.; providing requirements for an investigation of medical neglect; amending s. 409.165, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the cost of services; requiring the Department of Children and Families to work with the Department of Health and the Agency for Health Care Administration to care for medically complex children; allowing the Department of Children and Families to place children in a medical foster home; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 409.962, F.S.; redefining the term “provider service network”; amending s. 409.967, F.S.; requiring Medicaid managed care plans to provide specified information on children under the care of the Department of Children and Families; amending s. 409.974, F.S.; providing for contracting with eligible plans; revising provisions relating to negotiation with a provider service network; providing requirements for termination of a contract with a provider service network; amending ss. 39.302, 39.524, 316.613, 409.1678, and 960.065, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; and Appropriations.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTES

FIRST READING

By the Committees on Appropriations; and Transportation; and Senators Diaz de la Portilla, Garcia, and Evers—

CS for CS for SB 102—A bill to be entitled An act relating to drivers leaving the scene of a crash; creating the “Aaron Cohen Life Protection Act”; amending s. 316.027, F.S.; redefining the term “serious bodily injury” and defining the term “vulnerable road user”; requiring the driver of a vehicle involved in a crash that results in serious bodily injury to a person to immediately stop the vehicle and remain at the scene of the crash; providing that a person commits a felony of the second degree if he or she fails to stop the vehicle and remain at the scene of the crash until specified requirements are fulfilled; requiring the court to impose a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment under certain circumstances; requiring the revocation of the driver’s driver license; requiring the driver to participate in specified programs; providing for ranking of an offense committed if the victim of the offense was a vulnerable road user; authorizing the defendant to move to depart from the mandatory minimum term of imprisonment under certain circumstances; providing requirements and procedures for such departure; amending s. 322.0261,

F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to include in the curriculum of a certain driver improvement course instruction addressing the rights of vulnerable road users; amending s. 322.28, F.S.; requiring the court to revoke for at least 3 years the driver license of a person convicted of leaving the scene of a crash involving injury, serious bodily injury, or death; reenacting and amending s. 322.34(6), F.S., relating to driving while a driver license is suspended, revoked, canceled, or disqualified, to incorporate the amendment to s. 322.28, F.S., in a reference thereto; amending s. 921.0022, F.S.; revising the offense severity ranking chart; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Appropriations; and Senators Negron, Benacquisto, Clemens, Evers, Brandes, Hukill, Abruzzo, Bradley, and Bean—

CS for SB 156—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle and mobile home taxes, fees, and surcharges; amending s. 320.03, F.S.; reducing the amount of the additional registration fee used to fund the Florida Real Time Vehicle Information System; amending s. 320.04, F.S.; reducing the service charge imposed on an application for an original or duplicate license plate, or specified registration stickers or certificates; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; providing a cross-reference to changes made by the act; reducing the fee for treating license plates and validation stickers with retroreflection material; amending s. 320.072, F.S.; redistributing the additional fee collected on certain motor vehicle registration transactions; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; reducing license taxes for motorcycles and mopeds, automobiles or tri-vehicles for private use, and trucks; amending ss. 320.0804 and 320.08046, F.S.; reducing surcharges imposed on a license tax; reenacting and amending s. 320.0807(4), F.S., relating to special vehicle license plates for the Governor and federal and state legislators, to incorporate the amendment made to s. 320.06, F.S., in a reference thereto; providing for the disposition of certain taxes, fees and surcharges collected; prohibiting a refund of any taxes, fees, or surcharges collected before the effective date of the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Soto—

CS for SB 172—A bill to be entitled An act relating to notaries public; creating s. 117.055, F.S.; requiring a notary public to record specified information in a notarial journal when performing certain notarial acts; requiring that a notary public retain a notarial journal for a specified period; requiring a notary public to notify the Department of State if the notarial journal is lost, stolen, misplaced, destroyed, erased, compromised, rendered unusable, or becomes otherwise inaccessible during the retention period; providing that a notarial journal is the exclusive property of a notary public; requiring a notary public to secure the journal; providing that failure to comply with the notarial journal requirements constitutes grounds for suspension, nonrenewal, or denial of a notary public commission; amending s. 117.10, F.S.; exempting certain acts of specified law enforcement and correctional officers from the notarial journal requirements; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Education; and Senators Hukill, Negron, Bradley, Simpson, Flores, Brandes, Stargel, and Montford—

CS for CS for SB 188—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education data privacy; amending s. 1002.22, F.S.; providing for annual notice to K-12 students and parents of rights relating to education records; revising provisions relating to remedy in circuit court with respect to education records and reports of students and parents; creating s. 1002.222, F.S.; providing limitations on the collection of information and the disclosure of confidential and exempt student records; defining the term “biometric information”; providing an exception; authorizing fees; amending s. 1008.386, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the submission of student social security numbers and the assignment of student identification numbers; requiring the Department of Education to establish a process for assigning student identification numbers; amending s. 1011.622, F.S.; conforming provisions; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Commerce and Tourism; and Senators Clemens and Latvala—

CS for CS for SB 198—A bill to be entitled An act relating to social media privacy; creating s. 448.077, F.S.; providing definitions; prohibiting an employer from requesting or requiring access to a social media account of an employee or prospective employee; prohibiting an employer from taking retaliatory personnel action for an employee's failure to provide access to his or her social media account; prohibiting an employer from failing or refusing to hire a prospective employee who does not provide access to his or her social media account; authorizing civil actions for violations; providing for recovery of attorney fees and court costs; specifying that an employer is not prohibited from seeking access to social media accounts under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Appropriations; and Transportation; and Senator Simmons—

CS for CS for SB 230—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority; amending ss. 348.751 and 348.752, F.S.; renaming the Orlando-Orange County Expressway System as the “Central Florida Expressway System”; revising definitions; making technical changes; amending s. 348.753, F.S.; creating the Central Florida Expressway Authority; providing for the transfer of governance and control, legal rights and powers, responsibilities, terms, and obligations to the authority; providing conditions for the transfer; revising the composition of the governing body of the authority; providing for appointment of officers of the authority and for the expiration of terms of standing board members; revising quorum and voting requirements; conforming terminology and making technical changes; prohibiting a member or the executive director of the authority from personally representing certain persons or entities for a specified time period; prohibiting a retired or terminated member or executive director of the authority from contracting with a business entity under certain circumstances; providing penalties; requiring authority board members, employees, and consultants to make certain annual disclosures; requiring an ethics officer to review such disclosures; requiring the authority code of ethics to include a conflict of interest process; prohibiting authority employees and consultants from serving on the board during their employment or contract period; requiring the code of ethics to be reviewed and updated at least every 2 years; requiring employees to participate in ongoing ethics education; amending s. 348.754, F.S.; providing that the area served by the authority is within the geopolitical boundaries of Orange, Seminole, Lake, and Osceola Counties; requiring the authority to have prior consent from the Secretary of the Department of Transportation to construct an extension, addition, or improvement to the expressway system in Lake County; extending, to 99 years from 40 years, the term of a lease-purchase agreement; limiting the authority's authority to enter into a lease-purchase agreement; limiting the use of certain toll-revenues; providing exceptions; removing the requirement that the route of a project must be approved by a municipality before the right-of-way can be acquired; requiring that the authority encourage the inclusion of local-, small-, minority-, and women-owned businesses in its procurement and contracting opportunities; removing the authority and criteria for an authority to waive payment and performance bonds for certain public works projects that are awarded pursuant to an economic development program; conforming terminology and making technical changes; amending ss. 348.7543, 348.7544, 348.7545, 348.7546, 348.7547, 348.755, and 348.756, F.S.; conforming terminology and making technical changes; amending s. 348.757, F.S.; providing that upon termination of the lease-purchase agreement of the former Orlando-Orange County Expressway System, title in fee simple to the former system shall be transferred to the state; conforming terminology and making technical changes; amending ss. 348.758, 348.759, 348.760, 348.761, and 348.765, F.S.; conforming terminology and making technical changes; amending s. 348.9953, F.S.; limiting the purpose and powers of the Osceola County Expressway Authority; providing for the termination of the Osceola County Expressway Authority by a specified time period; prohibiting the authority from extending the Poinciana Parkway beyond a specified limit; amending s. 369.317, F.S.; conforming terminology and making technical changes; amending s. 369.324, F.S.; revising the membership of the Wekiva River Basin Commission; conforming terminology; providing criteria for the transfer of the Osceola County Expressway System to the Central Florida Expressway Authority; providing for the repeal of part V

of ch. 348, F.S., when the Osceola County Expressway System is transferred to the Central Florida Expressway Authority; requiring the Central Florida Expressway Authority to reimburse other governmental entities for obligations related to the Osceola County Expressway System; providing for reimbursement after payment of other obligations; providing a directive to the Division of Law Revision and Information; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Grimsley—

CS for SB 278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to pharmacy; amending s. 465.014, F.S.; increasing the number of registered pharmacy technicians which a licensed pharmacist may supervise; amending s. 465.004, F.S.; revising the composition of the Board of Pharmacy; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Simpson—

CS for SB 310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on insurance premiums; amending s. 624.509, F.S.; revising provisions relating to premium taxes paid by insurers; providing that the tax does not apply to any portion of the premium retained by a title insurance agent or agency; amending s. 627.7711, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Stargel—

CS for SB 318—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public meetings; amending s. 1004.28, F.S.; providing an exemption from public meeting requirements for any portion of a meeting of the board of directors of a university direct-support organization, or of the executive committee or other committees of such board, at which any proposal seeking research funding from the organization or a plan or program for either initiating or supporting research is discussed; providing for review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Appropriations; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 384—A bill to be entitled An act relating to juvenile sentencing; amending s. 775.082, F.S.; providing criminal sentences applicable to a person who was under the age of 18 years at the time the offense was committed; requiring a judge to consider certain factors before determining if life imprisonment is an appropriate sentence for a homicide defendant; providing for review of sentences of certain offenders who were under the age of 18 at the time of the offense; providing requirements and procedures for such reviews; amending ss. 316.3026, 373.430, 403.161, and 648.571, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Regulated Industries; and Senator Altman—

CS for CS for SB 440—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; limiting the application of certain requirements relating to bylaws to residential condominiums and their associations and boards; amending s. 718.113, F.S.; limiting the application of certain requirements relating to the maintenance of residential condominiums and their associations and boards; amending s. 718.1255, F.S.; exempting nonresidential condominiums from mandatory arbitration unless specifically provided for in their declarations; amending s. 718.403, F.S., and reenacting subsection (1), relating to the authority to develop a condominium in phases; authorizing the developer to modify the plot plan as to unit or building types; limiting the circumstances under which a plot plan may be modified as to a residential condominium; specifying the provisions relating to phase condominiums that are inapplicable to nonresidential condominiums; amending s. 718.707, F.S.; extending by 1 year the time limitation for classification as a bulk assignee or bulk buyer; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Rules; and Judiciary; and Senator Evers—

CS for CS for SB 448—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the threatened use of force; providing legislative findings and intent; amending s. 775.087, F.S.; creating an exception to the minimum mandatory sentence for aggravated assault under specified conditions; amending s. 776.012, F.S.; applying provisions relating to the use of force in defense of persons to the threatened use of force; amending s. 776.013, F.S.; applying presumption relating to the use of deadly force to the threatened use of deadly force in the defense of a residence and similar circumstances; applying provisions relating to such use of force to the threatened use of force; amending s. 776.031, F.S.; applying provisions relating to the use of force in defense of property to the threatened use of force; amending s. 776.032, F.S.; applying immunity provisions that relate to the use of force to the threatened use of force; amending s. 776.041, F.S.; applying provisions relating to the use of force by an aggressor to the threatened use of force; providing exceptions; amending s. 776.051, F.S.; providing that a person is not justified in the threatened use of force to resist an arrest by a law enforcement officer; creating s. 776.09, F.S.; providing that a person is eligible to apply for a certificate of eligibility for expunction, notwithstanding the eligibility requirements, if the charging document in the case is not filed or is dismissed because it is found that the person acted in lawful self-defense pursuant to the provisions related to the justifiable use of force in ch. 776, F.S.; requiring a prosecutor, statewide prosecutor, or court to document and retain such findings; amending s. 943.0585, F.S.; requiring the Department of Law Enforcement to provide a certificate of eligibility for expunction, notwithstanding the eligibility requirements, to a person who has a written, certified statement from a prosecutor or statewide prosecutor indicating that the charging document in the case was not filed or was dismissed because it was found that the person acted in lawful self-defense pursuant to the provisions related to the justifiable use of force in ch. 776, F.S.; providing a penalty for knowingly providing false information on a sworn statement; providing applicability; requiring the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Ring—

CS for SB 488—A bill to be entitled An act relating to out-of-network physician charges; amending s. 381.026, F.S., relating to the Florida Patient's Bill of Rights and Responsibilities; providing that a patient is responsible for reviewing a document informing the patient that he or she may be charged for out-of-network physician services; amending s. 395.301, F.S.; requiring a patient of a licensed facility to be presented with a document regarding charges for out-of-network physician services; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Lee—

CS for SB 504—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax credits or refunds; amending s. 212.17, F.S.; providing procedures, requirements, and calculation methodologies that allow dealers to obtain tax credits or refunds for taxes paid on worthless or uncollectible private-label credit card accounts or receivables; providing limitations on the amount that may be recovered; providing definitions; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Flores—

CS for SB 530—A bill to be entitled An act relating to postsecondary education textbook and instructional materials affordability; amending s. 1004.085, F.S.; defining the term "instructional materials"; requiring the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors to adopt textbook and instructional materials affordability policies, procedures, and guidelines; revising requirements for those policies, procedures, and guidelines; providing requirements for the use of adopted undergraduate textbooks and instructional materials and authorizing exceptions; requiring a public postsecondary institution to post in its course registration system and on its website information relating to required and recommended textbooks and instructional materials and prices thereof; requiring annual reporting of textbook and instructional materials cost information and affordability policies and procedures; requiring the Governor to appoint a task force to research options to reduce the cost of textbooks and instructional materials; providing task force membership

and duties; amending s. 1001.7065, F.S.; conforming provisions; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senators Latvala, Diaz de la Portilla, and Soto—

CS for SB 534—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax exemptions; amending s. 212.08, F.S.; exempting therapeutic veterinary diets obtainable only from a licensed veterinarian from the state tax on sales, use, and other transactions; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Banking and Insurance; Appropriations; and Banking and Insurance; and Senators Brandes, Simpson, Benacquisto, Galvano, Bradley, and Latvala—

CS for CS for CS for SB 542—A bill to be entitled An act relating to flood insurance; amending s. 627.062, F.S.; adding projected flood losses to the factors that must be considered by the Office of Insurance Regulation in reviewing certain rate filings; amending s. 627.0628, F.S.; requiring the commission to adopt standards and guidelines relating to flood loss by a certain date; creating s. 627.715, F.S.; authorizing insurers to offer flood insurance on residential property in this state; requiring the insurer to also offer coverage equivalent to that provided by the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP); defining the term “flood”; establishing the minimum coverage requirements for a flood insurance policy; providing coverage limitations that an insurer may include in such policies; requiring that certain limitations and notices be noted on the policy declarations or face page; requiring the insurer to obtain a signed acknowledgement from the applicant which provides certain specified information; providing the insurer with rate options; authorizing the office to conduct an examination with respect to any rate change; authorizing an insurer to export a contract or endorsement to a surplus lines insurer without meeting certain requirements; requiring prior notice for cancellation or nonrenewal of a policy; providing additional requirements with respect to notifying the Office of Insurance Regulation before writing flood insurance, filing a plan of operation with the office, using forms that have been approved by the office, and filing reinsurance contracts before a certain date; prohibiting Citizens Property Insurance Corporation from writing flood insurance; prohibiting the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund from reimbursing losses caused by flooding; providing certain exemptions; preempting any conflicts with other provisions of the Florida Insurance Code; providing that the Commissioner of the Office of Insurance Regulation may provide certification that a condition qualifies for flood insurance or disaster assistance; providing that such certification is not subject to ch. 120, F.S.; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senators Simpson, Bean, and Bradley—

CS for SB 546—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 790.0601, F.S.; creating an exemption from public records requirements for certain personal identifying information held by the tax collector when an individual applies for a license to carry a concealed weapon or firearm pursuant to s. 790.06, F.S.; providing for retroactive application of the exemption; providing for disclosure of such information under specified conditions; providing for review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a conditional effective date.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Banking and Insurance; and Senator Galvano—

CS for CS for SB 570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title insurance; amending s. 625.041, F.S.; specifying that a title insurer is liable for all of its unpaid losses and claims; amending s. 625.111, F.S.; revising and specifying the reserves certain title insurers must set aside; specifying how such reserves will be released; specifying which state law governs the amount of the reserve when a title insurer transfers its domicile to this state; defining “bulk reserve”; amending ss. 624.407 and 624.408, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 626.8412, F.S.; specifying that only a licensed and appointed agent or agency is authorized to sell title insurance; amending s. 626.8413, F.S.; providing additional limitations on the name that a title insurance agent or agency

may adopt; providing applicability; amending s. 626.8417, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 626.8418, F.S.; revising the application requirements for a title insurance agency license; deleting certain bonding requirements and procedures; amending s. 626.8419, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 626.8437, F.S.; revising terms relating to grounds for actions against a licensee or appointee; amending s. 627.778, F.S.; limiting the remedies available for the breach of duty arising from a title insurance contract; amending s. 627.782, F.S.; revising the date that certain information relating to title insurance rates must be submitted to the Office of Insurance Regulation by title insurance agencies and insurers; amending s. 627.7845, F.S.; revising terms relating to determination of insurability and preservation of evidence of title search and examination; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Simpson—

CS for SB 624—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fair associations; creating s. 157.37, F.S.; prohibiting a county from levying a tax, special assessment, or fee for the planning, construction, operation, use, or maintenance of stormwater facilities against land owned by a fair association; amending s. 163.31801, F.S.; prohibiting a county, municipality, or special district from imposing an impact or mobility fee on a fair association; amending s. 170.01, F.S.; prohibiting a municipality from levying a special assessment for the planning, construction, operation, use, or maintenance of stormwater facilities against real property owned by a fair association; creating s. 196.1988, F.S.; exempting personal and real property of a fair association used predominantly for certain purposes from the imposition of ad valorem taxes; amending s. 298.305, F.S.; prohibiting a water control district from levying special assessments for proposed works and improvements against real property owned by a fair association; amending s. 298.54, F.S.; exempting real property owned by a fair association from the imposition of a maintenance tax by a water control district; amending s. 403.0893, F.S.; exempting fair associations from the assessment or imposition of a fee by local or regional governmental entities for the planning, construction, operation, use, or maintenance of stormwater management systems; declaring an important state interest; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Judiciary—

CS for SB 650—A bill to be entitled An act relating to a review under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; amending s. 733.604, F.S., which provides exemptions from public records requirements for the inventories of an estate or elective estate filed with the clerk of court or the accountings filed with the clerk of court in an estate proceeding; saving the exemptions from repeal under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Regulated Industries; and Health Policy—

CS for SB 662—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonresident sterile compounding permits; amending s. 465.003, F.S.; defining the terms “compounding” and “outsourcing facility”; amending s. 465.0156, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; expanding penalties to apply to injury to a nonhuman animal; deleting a requirement that the Board of Pharmacy refer regulatory issues affecting a nonresident pharmacy to the state where the pharmacy is located; creating s. 465.0158, F.S.; requiring registered nonresident pharmacies and outsourcing facilities to obtain a permit in order to ship, mail, deliver, or dispense compounded sterile products into this state; requiring submission of an application and a nonrefundable fee; specifying requirements; authorizing the board to deny, revoke, or suspend a permit, or impose a fine or reprimand for certain actions; providing dates by which certain nonresident pharmacies must obtain a permit; authorizing the board to adopt rules; amending s. 465.017, F.S.; authorizing the department to inspect nonresident pharmacies and nonresident sterile compounding permittees; requiring such pharmacies and permittees to pay for the costs of such inspections; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senators Garcia and Flores—

CS for SB 694—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Diabetes Advisory Council; amending s. 385.203, F.S.; requiring the council, in conjunction with the Department of Health, the Agency for Health Care Administration, and the Department of Management Services, to develop plans to manage, treat, and prevent diabetes; requiring a report to the Governor and Legislature; providing for contents of the report; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Garcia—

CS for SB 722—A bill to be entitled An act relating to newborn health screening; amending s. 383.14, F.S.; authorizing the State Public Health Laboratory to release the results of a newborn's hearing and metabolic tests or screenings to the newborn's health care practitioner; defining the term "health care practitioner" as it relates to such release; amending s. 383.145, F.S.; revising the definition of "hearing impairment"; updating a cross-reference; creating s. 383.146, F.S.; requiring a health care practitioner to provide an opportunity for the parent or legal guardian of a child who is diagnosed with a hearing impairment to provide contact information so that he or she may receive information directly from specified service providers; requiring the health care practitioner to transmit the information; requiring the Department of Health to post a list of certain service providers and institutions; authorizing the department to adopt rules; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Sobel—

CS for SB 746—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Health Care Clinic Act; amending s. 400.9905, F.S.; redefining the term "clinic"; amending s. 400.9935, F.S.; clarifying that a clinic that employs a physician whose license is suspended or revoked is subject to administrative and criminal penalties; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Ring—

CS for SB 788—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clerks of court; amending s. 40.32, F.S.; authorizing jurors and witnesses to be paid by check; amending s. 77.27, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 77.28, F.S.; requiring a party applying for garnishment to pay a deposit to the garnishee, rather than in the registry of the court; deleting a provision that requires the clerk to collect a specified fee; amending s. 197.432, F.S.; providing requirements for the sale of tax certificates; amending s. 197.472, F.S.; revising requirements for the redemption of tax certificates; amending s. 197.502, F.S.; requiring the certificateholder to pay costs of resale within 15 days under certain circumstances; providing circumstances under which land shall be placed on a specified list; prohibiting a county from applying for a tax deed under certain circumstances; deleting a provision relating to a notification procedure; amending s. 197.542, F.S.; requiring the certificateholder to pay a specified amount of the assessed value of the homestead under certain circumstances; providing circumstances under which land shall be placed on a specified list; amending s. 197.582, F.S.; clarifying notice requirements; providing for excess proceeds relating to unclaimed property; requiring the clerk to ensure that excess funds are paid according to specified priorities; providing for interpleader actions and the award of reasonable fees and costs; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Galvano—

CS for SB 808—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 548.062, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for the information in the reports required to be submitted to the Florida State Boxing Commission by a promoter or obtained by the commission through audit of a promoter's records; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Joyner—

CS for SB 826—A bill to be entitled An act relating to trusts; amending s. 736.0703, F.S.; limiting the liability of excluded trustees; providing that certain powers to direct the actions of a trustee are not applicable under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Bradley—

CS for SB 828—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the court system; repealing s. 25.151, F.S., relating to a prohibition on the practice of law by a retired justice of the Supreme Court; repealing ss. 25.191 and 25.231, F.S., relating to the appointment and duties of a Clerk of the Supreme Court; amending s. 25.241, F.S.; deleting a requirement regarding the salary of the Clerk of the Supreme Court, to conform; repealing s. 25.281, F.S., relating to compensation of the Marshal of the Supreme Court; repealing s. 25.351, F.S., relating to the acquisition of books by the Supreme Court; repealing s. 26.01, F.S., relating to the number of judicial circuits; amending s. 26.021, F.S.; specifying the number of judicial circuits; repealing certain residency requirements for circuit judges; repealing s. 26.51, F.S., relating to payment of the salaries of circuit judges; amending s. 26.55, F.S.; excluding retired judges practicing law from the Conference of Circuit Judges of Florida; removing a requirement that circuit court judges attend and participate in such conference; requiring that the conference operate according to the Rules of Judicial Administration; revising requirements for such conferences; repealing s. 27.55, F.S., relating to compensation and certain expenditures of public defenders; creating s. 29.23, F.S.; providing for certain judicial branch salaries; repealing ss. 35.12, 35.13, 35.19, and 35.21, F.S., relating to the chief judge, quorum, compensation of judges, and clerk, respectively, of the district courts of appeal; amending s. 35.22, F.S.; deleting a requirement for the appointment and salary of a clerk for each district court of appeal; repealing ss. 35.25 and 35.27, F.S., relating to duties of the clerk and compensation of the marshal, respectively, of the district courts of appeal; repealing s. 38.13, F.S., relating to replacement of disqualified judges of the district courts of appeal; amending s. 43.20, F.S.; revising the number of members of the Judicial Qualifications Commission to conform to requirements of the State Constitution; repealing s. 57.101, F.S., relating to the charging of costs against the losing party for certain copies of records in the Supreme Court; repealing s. 92.15, F.S., relating to an evidentiary rule regarding evidence of title to land passing from the United States; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Latvala—

CS for SB 834—A bill to be entitled An act relating to legal notices; amending s. 50.0211, F.S.; requiring legal notices to be posted on a newspaper's website on web pages with specified titles; prohibiting charging a fee or requiring registration for viewing online legal notices; establishing the period for which legal notices are required to be published on the statewide website; requiring that legal notices be archived on the statewide website for a specified period; deleting a provision relating to harmless error; amending s. 50.061, F.S.; clarifying payment provisions; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Appropriations; Community Affairs; and Ethics and Elections; and Senator Latvala—

CS for CS for CS for SB 846—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental ethics; amending ss. 11.045 and 112.3215, F.S.; defining the term "local officer"; prohibiting a local officer from registering to lobby the Legislature or an agency on behalf of another person or entity other than his or her political subdivision; authorizing a local officer to be employed by or contracted with a lobbying firm under certain circumstances; providing for applicability; amending s. 28.35, F.S.; specifying the applicability of certain provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees to members of the executive council of the Florida Clerks of Court Operations Corporation; amending s. 112.3142, F.S.; requiring elected municipal officers to participate in annual ethics training; providing legislative intent; amending s. 112.3144, F.S.; requiring an officer required to participate in annual ethics training to certify participation on his or her full and public disclosure of financial interests; revising the conditions under which a qualifying officer for-

wards a full and public disclosure of financial interests to the Commission on Ethics; authorizing the Commission on Ethics to initiate an investigation and hold a public hearing without receipt of a complaint in certain circumstances; requiring the commission to enter an order recommending removal of an officer or public employee from public office or public employment in certain circumstances; prohibiting the commission from taking action on a complaint alleging certain errors or omissions on a disclosure; providing that failure to certify completion of annual ethics training on a disclosure does not constitute an immaterial, inconsequential, or de minimis error or omission; amending s. 112.3145, F.S.; requiring an officer required to participate in annual ethics training to certify participation on his or her statement of financial interests; authorizing the Commission on Ethics to initiate an investigation and hold a public hearing without receipt of a complaint in certain circumstances; requiring the commission to enter an order to remove an officer or public employee from public office or public employment in certain circumstances; prohibiting the commission from taking action on a complaint alleging certain errors or omissions on a statement; providing that failure to certify completion of annual ethics training on a statement does not constitute an immaterial, inconsequential, or de minimis error or omission; amending s. 112.31455, F.S.; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer or governing body to withhold the entire amount of a fine owed and related administrative costs from salary-related payments of certain individuals; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer or governing body to reduce the amount withheld if an individual can demonstrate a hardship; creating s. 112.31456, F.S.; authorizing the commission to seek wage garnishment of certain individuals to satisfy unpaid fines; authorizing the commission to refer unpaid fines to a collection agency; establishing a statute of limitations with respect to the collection of an unpaid fine; creating s. 112.3251, F.S.; requiring citizen support and direct-support organizations to adopt a code of ethics; establishing minimum requirements for a code of ethics; creating s. 112.3261, F.S.; defining terms; prohibiting a person from lobbying a governmental entity until registering; establishing registration requirements; requiring public availability of lobbyist registrations; establishing procedures for termination of a lobbyist's registration; authorizing a governmental entity to establish a registration fee; requiring a governmental entity to monitor compliance with registration requirements; requiring the commission to investigate a lobbyist or principal upon receipt of a sworn complaint containing certain allegations; requiring the commission to provide the Governor with a report on the findings and recommendations resulting from the investigation; authorizing the Governor to enforce the commission's findings and recommendations; amending s. 286.012, F.S.; revising disclosure requirements with respect to a voting abstention at a meeting of a governmental body; authorizing a member to abstain from voting on a decision, ruling, or act in a quasi-judicial proceeding under certain circumstances; amending s. 288.901, F.S.; specifying the applicability of certain provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees to the president, senior managers, and members of the board of directors of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; prohibiting the president, senior managers, and board members from representing a person or entity before the corporation for a specified timeframe; amending s. 288.92, F.S.; specifying the applicability of certain provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees to certain officers and board members associated with the divisions of Enterprise Florida, Inc.; prohibiting such officers and members from representing a person or entity for compensation before Enterprise Florida, Inc., for a specified timeframe; amending s. 288.9604, F.S.; specifying the applicability of certain provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees to the board of directors of the Florida Development Finance Corporation; amending s. 627.351, F.S.; specifying the applicability of certain provisions of the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees to the executive director of Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; prohibiting a former executive director, senior manager, or member of the board of governors of the corporation from representing another person or entity before the corporation for a specified timeframe; prohibiting a former executive director, senior manager, or member of the board of governors from entering employment or a contractual relationship for a specified timeframe with certain insurers; amending ss. 11.0455 and 112.32155, F.S.; conforming cross-references to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Galvano—

CS for SB 876—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle crash reports; amending s. 316.066, F.S.; requiring a statement to be completed and sworn to for each confidential crash report requested within a certain time period; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Latvala—

CS for SB 900—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public-private partnerships; creating s. 1013.505, F.S.; providing definitions; providing legislative findings and intent relating to the construction or improvement by private entities of facilities or projects used predominantly for a public purpose; providing for partnerships between state universities and private entities; providing procurement procedures for a state university board of trustees, including proposals for a qualifying project and a comprehensive agreement for partnership transactions; providing requirements for project approval; providing project qualifications and process; providing requirements for interim and comprehensive agreements between a board of trustees and a private entity; providing for use fees; providing for various financing sources for projects; providing powers and duties of private entities; providing for expiration or termination of a comprehensive agreement; providing for the applicability of sovereign immunity for boards of trustees with respect to qualified projects; providing for construction of the act; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Dean—

CS for SB 912—A bill to be entitled An act relating to service of process; amending s. 48.031, F.S.; providing that certain individuals authorized to serve process do not commit the offense of trespass on property other than a structure or conveyance and are not subject to civil liability under certain circumstances; allowing the posting of a criminal witness subpoena under specified circumstances; amending s. 810.09, F.S.; providing that the offense of trespass on property other than a structure or conveyance is not applicable to certain persons who are authorized to serve process under certain circumstances; providing an effective date.

By the Committees on Appropriations; and Governmental Oversight and Accountability—

CS for SB 928—A bill to be entitled An act relating to state technology; repealing s. 14.204, F.S., relating to the Agency for Enterprise Information Technology within the Executive Office of the Governor; creating s. 20.61, F.S.; creating the Agency for State Technology; providing that the executive director shall serve as the state's chief information officer; establishing certain agency positions; establishing the Technology Advisory Council; providing for membership and duties of the council; providing that members of the council are governed by the Code of Ethics for Public Officers and Employees; amending s. 282.0041, F.S.; revising, creating, and deleting definitions used in the Enterprise Information Technology Services Management Act; creating s. 282.0051, F.S.; providing powers, duties, and functions of the Agency for State Technology; authorizing the agency to adopt rules; creating s. 282.00515, F.S.; requiring the Department of Legal Affairs, the Department of Financial Services, and the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to adopt certain technical standards or alternatives to those standards and authorizing such departments to contract with the Agency for State Technology for certain purposes; creating s. 287.0591, F.S.; limiting the terms of certain competitive solicitations for information technology commodities; providing an exception; repealing s. 282.0055, F.S., relating to the assignment of information technology resource and service responsibilities; repealing s. 282.0056, F.S., relating to the development of an annual work plan, the development of implementation plans, and policy recommendations relating to enterprise information technology services; amending s. 282.201, F.S.; providing for a state data center and the duties of the center; deleting duties for the Agency for Enterprise Information Technology; revising the schedule for consolidating agency data centers and deleting obsolete provisions; revising the limitations on state agencies; repealing s. 282.203, F.S., relating to primary data centers; repealing s. 282.204, F.S., relating to the Northwood Shared Resource Center; repealing s. 282.205, F.S., relating to the Southwood Shared Resource Center; amending s. 282.318, F.S.; changing the name of the Enterprise Security of Data and Information

Technology Act; defining the term “agency” as used in the act; requiring the Agency for State Technology to establish and publish certain security standards and processes; requiring state agencies to perform certain security-related duties; requiring the agency to adopt rules; conforming provisions; repealing s. 282.33, F.S., relating to objective standards for data center energy efficiency; repealing s. 282.34, F.S., relating to statewide e-mail service; amending ss. 17.0315, 20.055, 110.205, 215.322, and 215.96, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 216.023, F.S.; requiring the governance structure of information technology projects to incorporate certain standards; amending s. 287.057, F.S.; requiring the Department of Management Services to consult with the agency with respect to the online procurement of commodities; amending ss. 445.011, 445.045, and 668.50, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 943.0415, F.S.; providing additional duties for the Cybercrime Office in the Department of Law Enforcement relating to cyber security; requiring the office to provide cyber security training to state agency employees; requiring the office to consult with the agency; amending s. 1004.649, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the Northwest Regional Data Center; revising the center’s duties and the content of service-level agreements with state agency customers; transferring the components of the Agency for Enterprise Information Technology to the Agency for State Technology; providing that certain rules adopted by the Agency for Enterprise Information Technology are nullified; transferring the Northwood Shared Resource Center and the Southwood Shared Resource Center to the Agency for State Technology; requiring the Agency for State Technology to conduct a study and submit a report to the Governor and Legislature; creating a state data center task force; providing for membership, duties, and abolishment of the task force; providing appropriations and authorizing positions; requiring the Agency for State Technology to complete an operational assessment; requiring reports to the Governor and Legislature; providing that certain reorganizations within state agencies do not require approval by the Legislative Budget Commission; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Stargel—

CS for SB 950—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; amending s. 1012.2315, F.S.; authorizing a school district to assign to a school that has earned failing grades certain newly hired instructional personnel; amending s. 1012.27, F.S.; revising the powers of a district school superintendent to include authorization to assign certain newly hired instructional personnel to a school that has earned failing grades based on the judgment of a school principal; amending s. 1012.56, F.S.; deleting obsolete provisions relating to acceptable means of demonstrating mastery of professional development; revising acceptable means of demonstrating mastery of subject area knowledge; conforming terminology; revising components of a competency-based professional development certification program; amending s. 1012.585, F.S.; revising certain requirements for the renewal or reinstatement of a professional certificate; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 956—A bill to be entitled An act relating to coastal management; amending s. 161.053, F.S.; authorizing the Department of Environmental Protection to grant areawide permits for certain structures; requiring the department to adopt rules; creating s. 258.435, F.S.; requiring the department to promote the public use of aquatic preserves and their associated uplands; authorizing the department to receive gifts and donations for certain purposes; authorizing the department to grant privileges or concessions for the accommodation of visitors in and use of aquatic preserves and their associated uplands provided certain conditions are met; providing that such privileges or concessions may be granted without advertisement or without using a competitive bidding process; prohibiting a grantee from assigning or transferring such privileges or concessions without the department’s consent; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Abruzzo—

CS for SB 974—A bill to be entitled An act relating to towing of vehicles and vessels; amending s. 715.07, F.S.; authorizing an owner or lessee of real property to have a vehicle or vessel removed from the

property without certain signage if the vehicle or vessel has remained on the property for a specified period; providing that the specified period does not begin until a certain notice is physically attached to the vehicle or vessel; providing requirements for the notice; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Governmental Oversight and Accountability; and Senator Ring—

CS for SB 990—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public officers and employees; amending s. 112.313, F.S.; removing an exception from prohibited employment or a prohibited contractual relationship for an officer or employee of certain special tax districts or an agency organized pursuant to ch. 298, F.S.; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Hukill—

CS for SB 998—A bill to be entitled An act relating to estates; amending s. 732.806, F.S.; providing that certain restrictions on gifts to lawyers and other disqualified persons apply to written instruments executed on or after a specified date; providing for applicability; amending s. 733.107, F.S.; clarifying circumstances under which a burden of proof shifts in cases involving undue influence; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 733.808, F.S.; requiring that a directive to apply certain death benefits for the payment of claims and administration expenses be specified in certain instruments; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 736.0207, F.S.; establishing which party bears the burden of proof in an action to contest the validity or revocation of a trust; providing for applicability; amending s. 736.05053, F.S.; requiring a specific directive for certain assets and death benefits to be used to pay estate expenses; providing for retroactive application; amending s. 736.1106, F.S.; providing for the vesting of outright devises in certain trust documents; providing for applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Commerce and Tourism; and Senator Detert—

CS for SB 1018—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; amending s. 493.6108, F.S.; removing the requirement that an applicant for private investigative, private security, and repossession services provide a written statement by a fingerprint technician or licensed physician under certain conditions; amending s. 493.6113, F.S.; revising recertification training requirements for Class “G” licensees; amending s. 493.6115, F.S.; adding specific handguns to the list of firearms a Class “G” licensee may carry while performing his or her duties; amending s. 493.6305, F.S.; authorizing specified Class “D” licensees to carry an authorized concealed firearm under certain circumstances; amending s. 501.016, F.S.; requiring a health studio to maintain a bond in favor of the department, rather than the state; authorizing liability for specified injuries to be determined in an administrative proceeding or through a civil action; providing that certain claims may be paid only upon an order of the department issued in an administrative proceeding; requiring that a claim against the bond be filed on a form affidavit adopted by rule of the department; providing the process by which a consumer may file a claim against a bond or other form of security; requiring a health studio to pay the department indebtedness determined by final order within 30 days; providing the process by which the department may make a demand if the health studio fails to timely make the payment; providing that the department shall be awarded attorney fees and costs in certain circumstances; repealing ss. 501.057, 501.0571, 501.0573, 501.0575, 501.0577, 501.0579, and 501.0581, F.S., relating to the Commercial Weight-Loss Practices Act; repealing s. 501.0583, F.S., relating to selling, delivering, bartering, furnishing, or giving weight-loss pills to persons younger than 18 years of age and related penalties and defense; amending s. 501.059, F.S.; prohibiting a telephone solicitor or a person from initiating an outbound telephone call to a consumer, a donor, or a potential donor under certain circumstances; repealing s. 501.143, F.S., relating to the Dance Studio Act; amending s. 501.603, F.S.; defining the term “novelty payment”; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 501.611, F.S.; requiring the bond required of a commercial telephone seller to be in favor of the department for the use and benefit of a purchaser who is injured by specified acts; requiring that a claim against the bond be filed on a form affidavit adopted by rule of the department; providing procedures that a purchaser must follow in filing a claim

against the bond or other form of security; providing for payment of indebtedness by the commercial telephone seller to the department; requiring the department to make demand on a surety if a commercial telephone seller fails to pay certain indebtedness within 30 days and providing a process; providing that attorney fees and costs must be awarded to the department in certain circumstances; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 501.616, F.S.; prohibiting a commercial telephone seller or salesperson from accepting a novelty payment; deleting a provision that prohibits a commercial telephone seller or salesperson from requiring payment to be made by credit card; amending s. 501.913, F.S.; providing that the registration certificate for each brand of antifreeze distributed in this state expires 1 year from the date of issue; amending s. 525.16, F.S.; requiring all previous fines to be disregarded if a new violation of provisions relating to gasoline and oil inspections has not occurred within 3 years after the date of a previous violation; creating s. 526.015, F.S., relating to lubricating oil standards and labeling requirements; prohibiting a person from selling, distributing, or offering for sale or distribution lubricating oil that does not meet specified standards or labeling requirements; requiring such noncompliant products to be placed under a stop-sale order and the lot identified and tagged by the department; prohibiting a person from selling, distributing, or offering for sale or distribution a product under stop-sale order; requiring the department to issue a release order under certain circumstances; repealing s. 526.50(6), F.S., relating to definition of terms related to the sale of brake fluid; amending s. 526.51, F.S.; providing that a permit authorizing a registrant to sell brake fluid in this state is valid for a specified period from the date of issue; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 539.001, F.S.; requiring that a claim against the bond be filed on a form affidavit adopted by rule of the department; providing the procedure that a consumer must follow in filing a claim against a bond or other form of security filed with the department by a pawnbroker; providing for payment of indebtedness by the pawnbroker to the department; providing the procedure that a consumer must follow if the pawnbroker fails to make the payment; providing that the agency shall be awarded attorney fees and costs in certain circumstances; requiring the weight of a precious metal to be obtained from a device that meets specified requirements; amending s. 559.929, F.S.; requiring that a claim against the bond be filed on a form affidavit adopted by rule of the department; providing the procedure that a consumer must follow in filing a claim against a bond or other form of security filed with the department by a seller of travel; providing for payment of indebtedness by the seller of travel to the department; providing procedures that the agency must follow if the seller of travel fails to pay certain indebtedness within 30 days and providing a process; providing that the agency shall be awarded attorney fees and costs in certain circumstances; amending s. 943.059, F.S.; providing an exception relating to the acknowledgement of arrests covered by a sealed criminal history record for a person seeking to be licensed to carry a concealed weapon or concealed firearm; providing applicability; amending ss. 205.1969 and 501.015, F.S.; conforming cross-references; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Dean—

CS for SB 1024—A bill to be entitled An act relating to off-highway vehicles; amending s. 261.03, F.S.; revising the terms “ATV” and “ROV”; amending s. 261.20, F.S.; revising a violation for carrying an operator and more than a single passenger on certain off-highway vehicles to prohibit carrying more passengers than the vehicle is designed to carry; amending a penalty provision to apply to off-highway vehicles; amending s. 316.2074, F.S.; revising the term “all-terrain vehicle”; amending s. 317.0003, F.S.; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Bradley, Bean, Brandes, Galvano, Sobel, Soto, Gardiner, Stargel, and Simpson—

CS for SB 1030—A bill to be entitled An act relating to low-THC marijuana and cannabis; creating s. 456.60, F.S.; defining terms; authorizing specified physicians to order low-THC marijuana for use by specified patients; providing conditions; providing duties of the Department of Health; requiring the department to create a compassionate use registry; providing requirements for the registry; requiring the department to authorize a specified number of dispensing organizations; providing requirements and duties for a dispensing organization; providing exceptions to specified laws; amending s. 893.02, F.S.; revising the de-

inition of the term “cannabis” for purposes of the Florida Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act and as applicable to certain criminal offenses proscribing the sale, manufacture, delivery, possession, or purchase of cannabis, to which penalties apply; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; and Senator Simpson—

CS for SB 1044—A bill to be entitled An act relating to energy policies; amending s. 377.6015, F.S.; removing a provision relating to representation in the Southern States Energy Compact; amending s. 377.703, F.S.; requiring the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to include in its annual report recommendations for energy efficiency; expanding the promotion of the development and use of renewable energy resources from goals related to solar energy to renewable energy in general; requiring the department to cooperate with the Florida Energy Systems Consortium in the development and use of renewable energy resources; amending s. 377.705, F.S.; providing that the Solar Energy Center may, rather than must, develop standards for solar energy systems manufactured or sold in this state; providing that the center may, rather than must, establish criteria for testing the performance of solar energy systems; providing that the center may, rather than must, receive a fee for testing the performance of solar energy systems; removing the requirement that all solar energy systems manufactured or sold in this state must meet the standards established by the Solar Energy Center; amending s. 377.712, F.S.; authorizing the Commissioner of Agriculture to appoint a member to the Southern States Energy Board; authorizing the department to approve proposed activities relating to furtherance of the Southern States Energy Compact; amending s. 377.801, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 377.802, F.S.; amending the purpose of the Florida Energy and Climate Protection Act; amending s. 377.803, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; creating s. 377.815, F.S.; authorizing the department to post on its website information relating to alternative fueling stations or electric vehicle charging stations; defining the term “alternative fuel”; authorizing the owner or operator of an alternative fueling station or an electric vehicle charging station to report certain information; amending s. 553.74, F.S.; adding a member to the Florida Building Commission as a representative of the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services’ Office of Energy; deleting obsolete provisions; repealing ss. 377.806 and 377.807, F.S., relating to the Solar Energy System Incentives Program and the Energy-Efficient Appliance Rebate Program, respectively; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senator Latvala—

CS for SB 1068—A bill to be entitled An act relating to massage therapy; amending s. 456.0135, F.S.; requiring an applicant for licensure under ch. 480, F.S., to submit to certain fingerprinting requirements; requiring fingerprints to be enrolled in the national retained print arrest notification program and the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse; amending s. 456.074, F.S.; requiring the Department of Health to issue an emergency order suspending the license of a massage therapist or massage establishment for the commission of certain offenses; amending s. 480.041, F.S.; requiring an applicant for a massage therapist license to submit to certain background screening requirements; requiring that a massage therapist who was issued a license before a specified date meet the background screening requirements by a specified date; requiring the Board of Massage Therapy to deny an application for a massage therapy license or renewal license for certain offenses; amending s. 480.043, F.S.; requiring a person with a specified interest in a massage establishment to submit to certain background screening requirements; authorizing the department to adopt a rule related to corporate assets; requiring the department to deny an application for a massage establishment license or renewal license under certain circumstances; requiring that the owner of a massage establishment that was issued a license before a specified date submit to the background screening requirements by a specified date; exempting certain entities from massage establishment licensure requirements; amending s. 480.0465, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Community Affairs; and Senator Simpson—

CS for SB 1070—A bill to be entitled An act relating to fuel terminals; creating s. 163.3206, F.S.; providing legislative intent; defining terms; declaring certain fuel terminals a permitted and allowable use under any local government comprehensive plan, land use map, zoning district, or land development regulation; authorizing the expansion of such fuel terminals; authorizing limited local government regulation of expanded fuel terminals; prohibiting a local government from amending its local comprehensive plan, land use map, zoning districts, or land development regulations to make such fuel terminals a nonconforming use under the provisions thereof; providing applicability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; and Senator Flores—

CS for SB 1076—A bill to be entitled An act relating to electrical power or energy; amending s. 203.01, F.S.; imposing an additional tax on gross receipts for electrical power or energy for specified years; revising exemptions from the tax on gross receipts for utility and communications services; providing exemptions from the additional tax on gross receipts from electrical power or energy; requiring the additional tax to be excluded from the taxable base on which gross receipts are calculated under certain circumstances; amending s. 212.05, F.S.; revising the sales tax rate for charges for electrical power or energy for specified years; providing that discretionary sales surtaxes apply regardless of the sales tax rate for charges for electrical power or energy; amending s. 212.054, F.S.; requiring discretionary sales surtaxes to be levied on all charges for electrical power or energy unless specifically exempted; amending s. 212.12, F.S.; conforming a provision to a change made by the act; providing for a sales tax holiday for certain products; providing restrictions; providing definitions; authorizing the Department of Revenue to adopt emergency rules; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Health Policy; and Senators Bean, Gibson, and Bradley—

CS for SB 1122—A bill to be entitled An act relating to emergency allergy treatment; amending s. 381.88, F.S.; defining terms; expanding provisions to apply to all emergency allergy reactions, rather than to insect bites only; creating s. 381.885, F.S.; authorizing certain health care practitioners to prescribe epinephrine auto-injectors to an authorized entity; authorizing such entities to maintain a supply of epinephrine auto-injectors; authorizing certified individuals to use epinephrine auto-injectors; authorizing uncertified individuals to use epinephrine auto-injectors under certain circumstances; providing immunity from liability; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Bean—

CS for SB 1210—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Division of Insurance Agents and Agency Services; amending s. 20.121, F.S.; revising the name of the division; amending s. 624.310, F.S.; revising service delivery methods; amending s. 624.318, F.S.; prohibiting the removal of specified original documents under certain conditions; amending s. 624.501, F.S.; revising original appointment and renewal fees related to certain insurance representatives; amending s. 626.015, F.S.; defining the term “unaffiliated insurance agent”; amending s. 626.0428, F.S.; requiring a branch place of business to have an agent in charge; authorizing an agent to be in charge of more than one branch office under certain circumstances; providing requirements relating to the designation of an agent in charge; providing that the agent in charge is accountable for wrongful acts, misconduct, and violations committed by the licensee and any person under his or her supervision; prohibiting an insurance agency from conducting insurance business at a location without a designated agent in charge; providing for expiration of an agency license under specified circumstances; amending s. 626.112, F.S.; prohibiting new limited customer representative licenses from being issued after a specified date; providing licensure exemptions that allow specified individuals or entities to conduct insurance business at specified locations under certain circumstances; revising licensure requirements and penalties with respect to registered insurance agencies; providing that the registration of an approved registered insurance agency automatically converts to an insurance agency license on a specified date; amending s. 626.171, F.S.; providing an exemption from

certain licensure application fees; amending s. 626.172, F.S.; revising requirements relating to applications for insurance agency licenses; amending s. 626.207, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.241, F.S.; revising the scope of the examination for a limited agent license; amending s. 626.261, F.S.; deleting a provision requiring certain costs to be paid by applicants who request licensure examinations in Spanish; amending s. 626.311, F.S.; limiting the types of business that may be transacted by certain agents; amending s. 626.321, F.S.; providing that a license issued to a business renting or leasing motor vehicles applies to employees and authorized representatives; amending s. 626.382, F.S.; providing that an insurance agency license continues in force until canceled, suspended, revoked, terminated, or expired; amending s. 626.601, F.S.; revising terminology relating to investigations conducted by the Department of Financial Services and the Office of Insurance Regulation with respect to individuals and entities involved in the insurance industry; amending s. 626.611, F.S.; requiring the department to suspend certain licenses and appointments; amending s. 626.641, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 626.733, F.S.; revising applicability of certain appointment provisions; amending s. 626.7355, F.S.; revising qualifications for a temporary customer representative’s license; repealing s. 626.747, F.S., relating to branch agencies, agents in charge, and the payment of additional county tax under certain circumstances on a specified date; amending s. 626.7845, F.S.; revising a prohibition against unlicensed transaction of life insurance; amending ss. 626.8411, 626.861, and 626.862, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 626.9272, F.S.; revising requirements for the licensure of nonresident surplus lines agents; creating s. 627.4553, F.S.; requiring an insurance agent who recommends the surrender of certain annuity or life insurance to provide certain information to the department; amending s. 627.7015, F.S.; revising the rulemaking authority of the department with respect to qualifications and specified types of penalties covered under the property insurance mediation program; amending s. 627.706, F.S.; revising the definition of the term “neutral evaluator”; amending s. 627.7074, F.S.; providing grounds for the department to deny an application, or suspend or revoke approval of certification, of a neutral evaluator; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 627.745, F.S.; revising qualifications for approval as a mediator by the department; providing grounds for the department to deny an application, or suspend or revoke approval, of a mediator; requiring the department to adopt rules; amending s. 627.952, F.S.; providing that certain persons who are not residents of this state must be licensed and appointed as nonresident surplus lines agents in this state in order to engage in specified activities with respect to servicing insurance contracts, certificates, or agreements for purchasing or risk retention groups; deleting a fidelity bond requirement applicable to certain nonresident agents who are licensed as surplus lines agents in another state; amending s. 648.43, F.S.; revising requirements for the submission of a power of attorney; amending s. 648.49, F.S.; revising provisions relating to the duration of suspension or revocation of a license; amending ss. 943.0585 and 943.059, F.S.; prohibiting a person seeking a license from the Division of Insurance Agent and Agency Services who is the subject of an expunged or sealed criminal history record from denying or failing to acknowledge arrests covered by the record; providing effective dates.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Richter—

CS for SB 1278—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; amending s. 655.057, F.S.; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain informal enforcement actions by the Office of Financial Regulation, to which penalties apply for willful disclosure of such confidential information; providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain trade secrets held by the office, to which penalties apply for willful disclosure of such confidential information; defining terms; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the section; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Simmons—

CS for SB 1300—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records; creating s. 624.4212, F.S.; defining the term “proprietary business information”; creating an exemption from public records requirements for proprietary business information and information that is confidential

when held by another entity in this state, the Federal Government, or another state or nation, and which is held by the Office of Insurance Regulation; providing exceptions; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Simmons—

CS for SB 1308—A bill to be entitled An act relating to insurer solvency; amending s. 624.10, F.S.; providing additional definitions applicable to the Florida Insurance Code; amending s. 624.319, F.S.; clarifying that production of documents does not waive the attorney-client or work-product privileges; amending s. 624.402, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; amending s. 624.4085, F.S.; revising a definition; providing additional calculations for determining whether an insurer has a company action level event; revising provisions relating to mandatory control level events; amending s. 624.424, F.S.; requiring an insurer's annual statement to include an actuarial opinion summary; providing criteria for such summary; providing an exception for life and health insurers; updating provisions; requiring insurers reinsuring through a captive insurance company to file a report containing certain information; amending s. 625.121, F.S.; revising the Standard Valuation Law; distinguishing the provisions from valuations done pursuant to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) valuation manual and incorporating certain provisions included in the manual; exempting certain documents from civil proceedings; revising the methods for evaluating the valuation of industrial life insurance policies; revising provisions relating to calculating additional premium; updating provisions relating to reserve calculations for indeterminate premium plans; creating s. 625.1212, F.S.; providing for the valuation of policies and contracts after the adoption of the NAIC's valuation manual; providing applicability; defining terms; requiring the office to value insurer reserves; requiring actuarial opinions of the reserves and a supporting memorandum to the opinions; requiring the insurer to apply the standard prescribed in the valuation manual; providing exceptions; providing requirements for a principle-based valuation of reserves; requiring an insurer to submit certain data to the office; directing the Financial Services Commission to adopt rules; creating s. 625.1214, F.S.; providing for the use of confidential information; prohibiting the use of such information in private civil actions; amending s. 627.476, F.S.; revising the Standard Nonforfeiture Law; distinguishing provisions subject to the valuation manual and providing for the application of tables found in the manual; amending s. 628.461, F.S.; revising the amount of outstanding voting securities of a domestic stock insurer or a controlling company which a person is prohibited from acquiring unless certain requirements have been met; deleting a provision authorizing an insurer to file a disclaimer of affiliation and control in lieu of a letter notifying the Office of Insurance Regulation of the Financial Services Commission of the acquisition of the voting securities of a domestic stock company under certain circumstances; requiring the statement notifying the office to include additional information; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; providing that control is presumed to exist under certain conditions; specifying how control may be rebutted and how a controlling interest may be divested; deleting definitions; amending s. 628.801, F.S.; requiring an insurer to annually file a registration statement by a specified date; revising the requirements and standards for the rules establishing the information and statement form for the registration; requiring an insurer to file an annual enterprise risk report; authorizing the office to conduct examinations to determine the financial condition of registrants; providing that failure to file a registration or report is a violation of the section; providing additional grounds, requirements, and conditions with respect to a waiver from the registration requirements; amending s. 628.803, F.S.; providing sanctions for persons who violate certain provisions relating to the acquisition of controlling stock; creating s. 628.804, F.S.; providing for the groupwide supervision of international insurance groups; defining terms; providing for the selection of a groupwide supervisor; authorizing the commission to adopt rules; creating s. 628.805, F.S.; authorizing the office to participate in supervisory colleges; authorizing the office to assess fees on insurers for participation; amending ss. 636.045 and 641.225, F.S.; applying certain statutes related to solvency to prepaid limited health service organizations and health maintenance organizations; amending s. 641.255, F.S.; providing for applicability of specified provisions to a health main-

tenance organization that is a member of a holding company; providing effective dates and a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Education; and Senator Montford—

CS for SB 1396—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public records and meetings; amending s. 1013.505, F.S., relating to public-private projects for the upgrade of state university facilities and infrastructure; defining the term "proprietary confidential business information"; creating an exemption from public records requirements for unsolicited proposals held by a state university board of trustees for a specified period; providing that proprietary confidential business information remains confidential and exempt from public records requirements; creating an exemption from public meetings requirements for portions of meetings of a state university board of trustees at which confidential and exempt information is discussed; providing for future review and repeal of the exemptions under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing statements of public necessity; providing a contingent effective date.

By the Committee on Regulated Industries; and Senator Simpson—

CS for SB 1450—A bill to be entitled An act relating to homeowners' association meetings; amending ss. 720.303 and 720.306, F.S.; requiring meetings to be held at locations accessible to physically handicapped persons; providing an effective date.

By the Committee on Environmental Preservation and Conservation; and Senators Bradley and Dean—

CS for SB 1594—A bill to be entitled An act relating to vessel safety; amending s. 327.44, F.S.; authorizing the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission and certain law enforcement agencies or officers to relocate or remove vessels that unreasonably or unnecessarily constitute a navigation hazard or interfere with another vessel; exempting the commission or a law enforcement agency or officer from liability for damages to such a vessel caused by the relocation or removal thereof; providing an exception; providing that the commission or a law enforcement agency may recover from the vessel owner its costs for the relocation or removal of such a vessel; requiring the Department of Legal Affairs to represent the commission in actions to recover such costs; amending s. 376.15, F.S.; defining the term "commission"; authorizing the commission and certain law enforcement agencies and officers to relocate or remove a derelict vessel from public waters; exempting the commission or a law enforcement agency of officer from liability for damages to such a vessel caused by the relocation or removal thereof; providing an exception; amending s. 823.11, F.S.; defining the term "commission"; authorizing the commission and certain law enforcement agencies and officers to relocate or remove a derelict vessel from public waters if such vessel poses a danger to property or persons; exempting the commission or a law enforcement agency of officer from liability for damages to such a vessel caused by the relocation or removal thereof; providing an exception; expanding costs recoverable by the commission or a law enforcement agency against the owner of a derelict vessel for the relocation or removal thereof; abrogating the power of the commission to remove certain abandoned vessels and recover its costs therefor; providing an effective date.

REFERENCE CHANGES PURSUANT TO RULE 4.7(2)

By the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and Senator Simpson—

CS for SB 310—A bill to be entitled An act relating to tax on insurance premiums; amending s. 624.509, F.S.; revising provisions relating to premium taxes paid by insurers; providing that the tax does not apply to any portion of the premium retained by a title insurance agent or agency; amending s. 627.7711, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Judiciary; and Appropriations.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Regulated Industries; and Senator Altman—

CS for CS for SB 440—A bill to be entitled An act relating to condominiums; amending s. 718.112, F.S.; limiting the application of certain requirements relating to bylaws to residential condominiums and their associations and boards; amending s. 718.113, F.S.; limiting the application of certain requirements relating to the maintenance of residential condominiums and their associations and boards; amending s. 718.1255, F.S.; exempting nonresidential condominiums from mandatory arbitration unless specifically provided for in their declarations; amending s. 718.403, F.S., and reenacting subsection (1), relating to the authority to develop a condominium in phases; authorizing the developer to modify the plot plan as to unit or building types; limiting the circumstances under which a plot plan may be modified as to a residential condominium; specifying the provisions relating to phase condominiums that are inapplicable to nonresidential condominiums; amending s. 718.707, F.S.; extending by 1 year the time limitation for classification as a bulk assignee or bulk buyer; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance.

By the Committees on Judiciary; and Banking and Insurance; and Senator Galvano—

CS for CS for SB 570—A bill to be entitled An act relating to title insurance; amending s. 625.041, F.S.; specifying that a title insurer is liable for all of its unpaid losses and claims; amending s. 625.111, F.S.; revising and specifying the reserves certain title insurers must set aside; specifying how such reserves will be released; specifying which state law governs the amount of the reserve when a title insurer transfers its domicile to this state; defining “bulk reserve”; amending ss. 624.407 and 624.408, F.S.; conforming cross-references; amending s. 626.8412, F.S.; specifying that only a licensed and appointed agent or agency is authorized to sell title insurance; amending s. 626.8413, F.S.; providing additional limitations on the name that a title insurance agent or agency may adopt; providing applicability; amending s. 626.8417, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 626.8418, F.S.; revising the application requirements for a title insurance agency license; deleting certain bonding requirements and procedures; amending s. 626.8419, F.S.; conforming provisions to changes made by the act; amending s. 626.8437, F.S.; revising terms relating to grounds for actions against a licensee or appointee; amending s. 627.778, F.S.; limiting the remedies available for the breach of duty arising from a title insurance contract; amending s. 627.782, F.S.; revising the date that certain information relating to title insurance rates must be submitted to the Office of Insurance Regulation by title insurance agencies and insurers; amending s. 627.7845, F.S.; revising terms relating to determination of insurability and preservation of evidence of title search and examination; providing effective dates.

—was referred to the Committee on Commerce and Tourism.

By the Committee on Judiciary; and Senator Ring—

CS for SB 788—A bill to be entitled An act relating to clerks of court; amending s. 40.32, F.S.; authorizing jurors and witnesses to be paid by check; amending s. 77.27, F.S.; conforming a provision to changes made by the act; amending s. 77.28, F.S.; requiring a party applying for garnishment to pay a deposit to the garnishee, rather than in the registry of the court; deleting a provision that requires the clerk to collect a specified fee; amending s. 197.432, F.S.; providing requirements for the sale of tax certificates; amending s. 197.472, F.S.; revising requirements for the redemption of tax certificates; amending s. 197.502, F.S.; requiring the certificateholder to pay costs of resale within 15 days under certain circumstances; providing circumstances under which land shall be placed on a specified list; prohibiting a county from applying for a tax deed under certain circumstances; deleting a provision relating to a notification procedure; amending s. 197.542, F.S.; requiring the certificateholder to pay a specified amount of the assessed value of the homestead under certain circumstances; providing circumstances under which land shall be placed on a specified list; amending s. 197.582, F.S.; clarifying notice requirements; providing for excess proceeds relating to unclaimed property; requiring the clerk to ensure that excess funds are paid according to specified priorities; providing for interpleader actions and the award of reasonable fees and costs; providing an effective date.

—was referred to the Committees on Appropriations Subcommittee on Finance and Tax; and Appropriations.

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